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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

ONCE HIGH; NOW PENAL SERVITUDE

Former Justice Minister of Denmark Gets Eight Year Servitude

BANKING FRAUDS

Had been Helping Himself to Funds of Which He Was Custodian for Several Years Before He Became Minister of Justice

Copenhagen, Dec. 17.—Former Minister of Justice P. A. Alberti, the revelation of whose banking frauds in the fall of 1908 led to a physical collapse, was sentenced today to eight years penal servitude, in addition to a fine of 40,000 kroner, for having helped himself to the funds of the Dannebrog Bank, which he was custodian of for several years before he became minister of justice.

JOHNSON TO GO ON IN SIX ROUND BOUT

Accepts Offer of Pittsburg Club—Courts to be Held on to Decide About Contests

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Jack Johnson, heavy-weight champion, who will soon begin his sparring partner Walter Monahan in the latter's home at the "Kid" Cotton in Pittsburg on Tuesday night, yesterday he had received an offer from a Pittsburg athletic club asking him if he would consent to box six rounds with an opponent of the club's selection on some night during the holidays.

STUDENTS ON STRIKE

Protest in Russia Against Cruelties Inflicted Upon Polit. Prisoners

Thrift of \$50,000

NEW SOUTH WALES CROP REPORT

THE WEATHER

POLICE COURT

WOMEN IN PERILOUS TRIP OVER ICE FROM IMPRISONED SHIP

Steamer Jammed in Ice Drift and Nearly All Passengers Make Night Journey to Shore Afoot

Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Sub-after being jammed in ice drift, today and night, passengers reached land in safety last night, by a perilous trip on foot over low broken ice.

AWFUL VIGIL WITH HER HUSBAND DEAD AT FEET

Aged Woman Spends Night Unable to Call for Help When Life Partner Fell in Death

New York, Dec. 17.—Unable to move or cry for assistance, Mrs. Phillip Meyer, eighty-five years old, sat in her apartment at No. 21 Ashland street, Newark, from midnight until seven o'clock, gazing at the bedside of her husband as he lay dead on the floor, his head resting on her feet.

STARVING, HE FAINTS IN SUBWAY TRAIN

A Christmastide Tragedy in New York—No Food for Three Days

New York, Dec. 17.—Inland Eudande, a West Indian, seventeen years old, had reached his last nickel. He had been in New York six months, most of the time looking for a job.

PROTEST IN RUSSIA AGAINST CRUELTY INFLECTED UPON POLITICAL PRISONERS

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE

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COALITION WILL HAVE ABOUT SAME MAJORITY

Lead of 122 Seats Now Over The Unionists

REDMONTE WINS

Notable Victory in South Division of Dublin County—Will Have 75 Nationalists in House, a Gain of Four—Details of Yesterday's Vote

Associated Press. London, Dec. 17.—With only eight constituencies remaining to be polled, today and Monday, the elections are practically ended and to all intents and purposes the parliament will be identical with that chosen in January last.

London, Dec. 17.—The election result in the south division of Dublin county yesterday was a notable victory for the Nationalists.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

London, Dec. 17.—The acting secretary of the society for the propagation of the gospel among the heathen has been elected to the post of general secretary.

QUEBEC BRIDGE

Montreal Hears that Contract Will Be Given Out Today

Montreal, Que., Dec. 17.—(Special)—It is stated here that the contract for the building of the Quebec bridge will be given out this afternoon, when the cabinet meets in Ottawa.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

HIRAM WILL BE THERE

HUMANITY

GENERAL BOOTH WOULD HAVE A "UNIVERSITY OF HUMANITY"

Head of Salvation Army Speaks of Gift of Carnegie

London, Dec. 17.—"What would I not give for \$2,000,000 to help me win true peace," said Mr. Booth, the head of the Salvation Army in an interview published here today concerning the \$1,000,000 gift which Carnegie is offering to the world's peace movement.

WINTER STREET SCHOOL CASE WAS ENDED TODAY

Mrs. Meyers Fined, but Sum Not Collected—Recognition to Keep Peace

Judgment was given this morning in the police court in the case of W. A. Nelson, principal of Winter street school, against Mrs. Annie Meyers. She was fined \$20 or two months in jail on a charge of assault, but the fine was allowed to stand on her husband entering into a recognizance for \$200 that she keep the peace.

THE S. A. FOWNES A TOTAL LOSS

Boston, Mass., Dec. 17.—(Special)—The crew of the Dorothea, N. B. schooner S. A. Fownes are still aboard the wrecked cutter in the harbor off the coast of Provincetown, Mass., today.

COLD KILLS FOUR IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 17.—New York is still in the grip of the first cold wave of winter. Already four deaths have been reported and it is almost impossible to estimate the suffering brought by the sudden drop in temperature.

MANCHESTER SHIPPER, IN PORT DAY, REPORTS HARD TIME IN THE BAY

Looking like a phantom ship, with hull, decks and masts covered with ice and snow, after battle with yesterday's blizzard, in the bay, the Manchester liner Manchester Shipper, Captain Perry, arrived in port this morning coming up from the island anchorage where she arrived last night.

ST. JOHN'S COUPLE WED IN BOSTON

Cards have been received by friends here announcing the marriage of Miss Gertrude I. Nuttal, daughter of John Nuttal, of St. John's, to a young man from Boston, who was married by Rev. George W. King, pastor of the Columbus Avenue Methodist church.

UNCLE SAM'S ARMY MUST BE IN PRETTY BAD SHAPE

Washington, Dec. 17.—In replying to the charge of Chairman Tawney of the House appropriations committee that a conspiracy existed to stampede congress to pass a bill for the purchase of land in the West, Representative McClachlan of California said that the nation in utter ignorance of its helpless condition, until war was upon us, had placed untrained, untested men, armed with obsolete weapons, in the field to uphold the national honor.

FOUNDERS IN THE BAY IN STORM

St. John Schooner Blanche Goes Down; Crew Saved

HARD EXPERIENCE

Unable to combat the elements in the Bay of Fundy, the little St. John schooner Blanche, Captain Israel, from Freeport, N. S., for this port foundered when about two-thirds of the way across yesterday, and her skipper and two men of a crew experienced frightful suffering for two or three hours before being taken off by the fishing schooner Kernwood.

REWARD FOR SCOTT ACT CONVICTIONS IN FREDERICTON

Special policeman offers \$5—Turkeys sold at thirty cents.

FIRE FOLLOWS WRECK OF TWO FREIGHT CARS

Saratoga, N. Y., Dec. 17.—Nearly a dozen passengers were injured on the Hudson Valley Railroad north of Schoharie yesterday when two freight cars broke from an electric engine and crashed into a passenger trolley, which was following closely.

FOR TARIFF REVISION SCHEDULE BY SCHEDULE

Washington, Dec. 17.—Representative Champ Clark gives out a statement fully outlining his platform as to the prospective speaker of the Democratic house of representatives in the next congress.

WALL STREET HOUSE SUSPENSION ANNOUNCED

New York, Dec. 17.—The suspension of the stock exchange firm of Jackson & Ludlow, was announced on the floor of the exchange today. Lack of business is generally understood to be the cause of the failure.

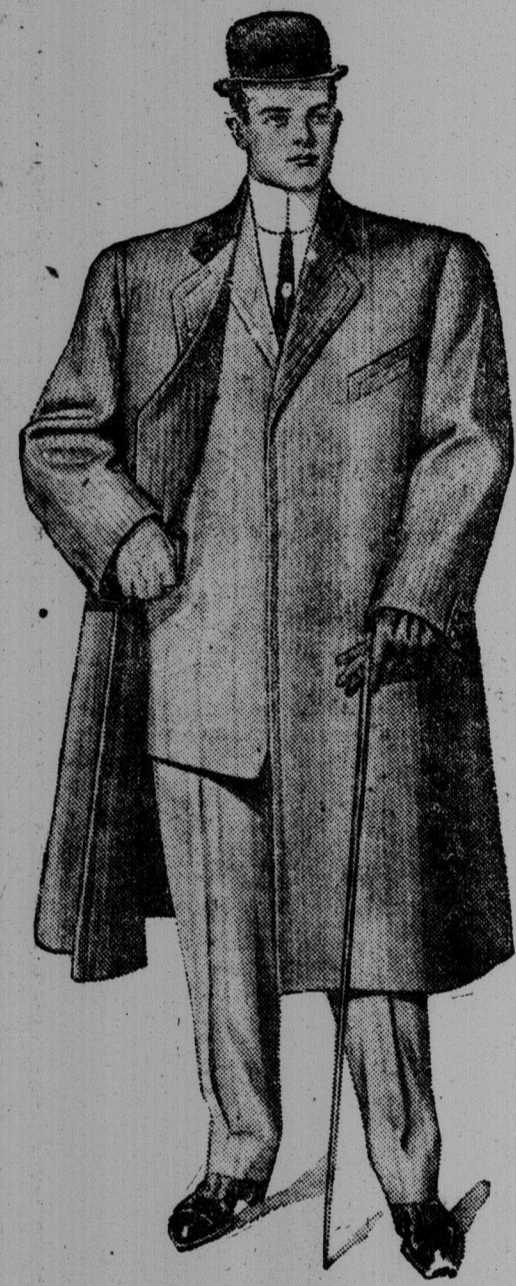
RELIEF OF EL KERAK

Constantinople, Dec. 17.—Government troops which were sent to the relief of El Kerak, a town in the viçhet of Syria, twenty miles east of the Dead Sea, which recently was attacked by Bedouins, entered the town on Thursday without opposition.

TO MONTOX

Rev. Geo. A. Ross, of Extonville, went to Montox this afternoon to occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church, in the absence of Rev. J. L. Datto, who will speak at St. John tomorrow.

Every Man in Need of An Overcoat Should Take Advantage of This Chance to Buy One at One-Half Usual Prices



Our Factory and Wholesale have handed over to us their surplus stock to which we have added little lots and odds and ends from our own retail stock—and have priced them at so much less than our regular prices that you can buy them at about half of what such overcoats would cost in any other store.

They're all the season's best tweeds, and they're made of the newest and most fashionable overcoatings. The tailoring insures the best style and the utmost comfort and durability. The reductions as stated below don't tell the whole story of the big bargains, because they only show the savings from our regular prices—and our regular prices are fully 25 per cent. below the regular prices of other stores—because when you buy here you buy directly of the makers and you save the middleman's profit. A comparison of these coats with those on sale elsewhere will show a difference of about 50 per cent. in favor of our prices.

MEN'S MOTOR STYLE OVERCOATS in medium Dark Grey Tweed with wide black stripe. Regular price \$8.00. Sale Price \$4.98

MEN'S CHESTERFIELD STYLE OVERCOATS in good patterns, medium gray with dark fancy stripe, velvet collar, centre vent. Regular price \$8.50. Sale Price \$5.27

A SPECIAL LOT OF EXTRA GOOD PATTERNS in imported and Hessian Tweeds made convertible collar style and Chesterfield with velvet collar. There are seventy-five coats in this special lot and every coat a great big bargain. Regular price \$10.00. Sale Price \$6.93

HERE IS ANOTHER LOT which contains bargains for those who buy. They are mostly Chesterfield styles and every coat carries the OAK HALL guarantee which means something. In Dark Gray Herringbone pattern, brown with black stripe and medium Light Gray with a dark stripe. Regular prices \$12.00, \$13.50. Sale Price \$8.87

MEN'S 30 OZ IMPORTED ENGLISH MELTON OVERCOATS with No. 1 quality German Collar Shawl style. This coat is lined with heavy black curl cloth and inter-lined with rubber making it wind and rain proof. The sleeves have wool wristlets. This coat is guaranteed in every respect, and has the appearance of an expensive fur-lined coat. We also show the same style coat with heavy quilted linings. They are worth \$25.00. Sale Price \$15.70

OAK HALL Scovill Bros. Ltd. St. John

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, DEC. 17, 1910. Sun Rise 8:45 Sun Sets 4:38 High Tide 12:40 Low Tide 6:20

BRITISH PORTS

Brow Head, Dec 15—Passed, str Yoruba. Bathurst (N B) for... Malin Head, Dec 16—Signalled, str Victoria, St John for Liverpool.

FAMOUS GEMS OF PROSE

THE SACREDNESS OF WORK By Thomas Carlyle. ALL true work is sacred; in all true work, were it but true hand-labor, there is something of divineness.

A Picked Lot from our show case always brings happiness. With jewelry to your taste, contentment is assured you as well as adornment.

"77" Humphreys' Seventy-Seven Breaks up Grip and COLDS GOES DIRECT TO THE SPOT

THE LORDS WILL NOT DEFEY THE ELECTORATE (Victoria Colonist). It has been suggested that if the 14th ministry is sustained at the polls, the Lords will refuse to accept the veto proposals and cast the whole responsibility of the situation upon the King.

RECIPROcity

(Montreal Witness) Wallace Nesbitt, the Toronto protectionist orator, in a speech yesterday to the Canadian Club, stated in beginning that he would endeavor to put forward the views of the protectionists with preference to his own view.

FOR CHRISTMAS

New Silk Ties, Gloves, Mufflers, Braces, Shirts, Underwear, Hats, Half Hose, Collars, Coat Sweaters

CORBET'S 196 Union Street

MORE DOGS THAN PEOPLE

British Town of Haverford West is the Hub of the Canine World. The greatest dog town in Great Britain, if not in the world, is Haverfordwest, England. There are many men in the town who live wholly, and make a good living, living and selling dogs.

Lord Northcliffe on Seasickness

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 14th of September reached me on my return to England. I am glad to hear that you have seen all the good things which I have seen and heard of in Canada. I am glad to hear that you are well and happy.

Could Not Walk Ten Yards Without Resting

WEAK HEART WAS THE CAUSE. Mrs. Robinson Collette, Rogersville, N.B., writes: "I am now enjoying the best of health after having used your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills."

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ONE WEEK MORE Left in Which to Take Advantage of the Many Genuine Bargains We Are Offering in Christmas Gifts. Ladies' Furs, all marked in plain figures, less 20 Per Cent. Ladies' Coats, Suits and Skirts, latest style and cut, less 25 Per Cent.



Fur: An Ideal Gift

From an assortment that includes every fashionable style of mink, these few items that will be of interest to gift purchasers: THE very great variety of styles shown in our display will be a wonderful help in aiding you to determine just what your gift is to be.

THE DUNLAP-COOKE COMPANY LIMITED Furriers by Royal Warrant to H.R.H. The Princess of Wales. 54 King Street, ST. JOHN, N. B.

"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES"

CHRISTMAS GIFT HINTS

GIVE CLOTHES—If the man is a near relative or an intimate friend and you wish to give something practical...

GILMOUR'S, 68 King Street Agency 20th Century Brand Clothing

Sterling Silver

Deposit Ware FILIGREE WORK ON GLASSWARE In Comports, Sandwich Trays, Water Jugs...

W. H. Hayward & Co., Ltd. 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess Street

LATE SHIPPING PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived Today Hesperian, Main, Liverpool via St. Wm. Thomson & Co., midsea...

Wall Street Today: New York, Dec. 17—Prices of the leading stocks were mostly on a par with yesterday's closing...

MUNICIPAL BONDS

are direct obligation of the Issuing Body, whose power of taxation for the purpose of paying the principal and interest...

Table with columns for bond type (e.g., 4 per cent. Bonds), location (e.g., 4,000 Province of Nova Scotia), and price.

J. M. ROBINSON & SONS Bankers, St. John

PLANS FOR THEATRE ANNOUNCED

King Square Site of New Amus ne Project—Details Out Today By W. H. Golding—On Site of Old Lyceum

St. John is to have a new and modern theatre. It will be the most up-to-date place of entertainment in Montreal...

REV. MR. BATTY

The above is a portrait of Rev. J. L. Batty, of Moncton, who will address the Portland Y. M. A. tomorrow afternoon...

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock type (e.g., Amalgated Copper), price, and change.

LIVE NEWS OF TODAY IN ST. JOHN

Christmas block boards, Duval's, 17 Waterloo street. EIGHT DOORS OPEN. In their rounds last night the police report that they found the doors of eight business houses open...

STILL SEMI-CONSCIOUS Jasper Warwick, the street railway conductor who was hurt on Thursday evening is still in a semi-conscious state in the hospital.

FUNERAL TOMORROW. The funeral of William Francis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sillipant, will be held from 82 Chesley street, at 2:15 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

BE ON HAND TODAY AT Pigeon's greatest clearance sale. Hundreds of bargains at half price. Real bargains everywhere in St. John. Don't forget the location, corner Main and Bridge streets, North End.

BAIL NOT REDUCED. Halifax, N. S., Dec. 17—(Special)—In the supreme court this morning argument was heard in the matter of the reduction of the bail of D. M. Ferguson, charged with arson. The court refused to reduce the bail.

HARD COLDS—People whose blood is pure are not nearly so likely to take hard colds as are others. Hood's Sarsaparil makes the blood pure and healthy. Hood's Sarsaparil recovers the system and builds up all other medicine does. Take Hood's.

THORNE LODGE. Grand Chief Templar Jackson, of Moncton, will address the Thorne Lodge tomorrow afternoon, at 4 o'clock in the Haymarket Square Hall—There will be special music.

THE WEATHER. The weather shows some moderating since yesterday, and the tendency of the mercury has been upward. This morning at 8 o'clock the temperature was 57 degrees.

ST. JOSEPH'S Y. M. S. SPORTS. The following are the events for which the Y. M. S. of St. Josephs are planning on their ice sports in January: "Old Vic," 220 yards; 440 yards; 880 yards, open competition; 1 mile, open competition; boys 12 years and under, 1/2 mile; boys 16 years and under, 1/2 mile; 220 yards hurdles; snowshoe race; 2 laps carpenter's race, 1/2 mile; Inter-Society race, 1/2 mile, consolation; open to members of any society (or club); 1/2 mile, 1/2 mile, 1/2 mile; police race, 1/2 mile; reporters race, 1/2 mile; backward race, 1/2 mile (open); obstacle race, 1/2 mile; conductors' and motormen's race, 1/2 mile.

EASY PAYMENTS. At the Parian Store, 47 Brussels street. The easy way, say by easy—easy to pay. No one is so fixed financially that they cannot afford to pay up their bills. Call on our great free to all offer, to dress up in the best clothes and let you pay them at your own convenience, in ladies', gents', children's clothing, furs and blankets.

CHARGE FOR INSERTING NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES OR DEATHS IS FIFTY CENTS.

DEATHS. WILSON—In this city yesterday, Bertha Rachel, youngest daughter of Thomas Wilson, in the eightieth year of her age, leaving a father, three brothers and one sister to mourn.

ORDINATIONS. There will be ordination in Trinity church, Sussex, tomorrow conducted by the Rev. F. J. LeRoy, of Cambridge, New Brunswick, and David Jenkins will be ordained deacons, and Rev. F. J. LeRoy of Queens county, will be advanced to the priesthood. The candidates will be presented by V. Archibald, Rector and Rev. Canon Neale, Rev. Canon Hamilton, and Rev. Dr. J. Roy Campbell will assist.

THE VICTORIA OPENS TUESDAY. Never in the fifty years' history of the "Old Vic." has a finer show of ice covered than the big floor space than now. Every inch is in readiness for the grand formal opening, Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock when the 62nd Grand, twenty-eight string will be heard in an elaborate programme of ten numbers.

FOR MEN ONLY IS THE UNIQUE. The second of the series of meetings for men only, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will be held in the Unique Theatre on Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock. The programme for the evening has been arranged by the St. John County Branch of the Y. B. Temperance Federation, Rev. J. L. Batty of Moncton, who is very well known as a talented preacher and lecturer, will deliver a gospel temperance address, and Willard A. Smith will sing a solo. The meeting will commence with a song service under the leadership of M. Garfield White. All men are invited to be present.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. Mr. Frank White has severed his connection with his former store, 99 King street. The goods manufactured by Mr. White will not be on sale there in future but can be procured at the following well-known establishments: C. R. Wasson, Wm. Hawker, S. H. Hawker, E. J. Heat, Walter Gilbert, W. Alex Porter, Vanwart, Ross, Jones, A. J. Toos, G. E. B. Main street, A. J. Tait, Union street, E. P. Charlton & Co., Taffy, Melchias Candies, Peppermint Drops, etc.

GO TO M. R. A.'S FOR GIFTS. Commencing Monday, an unusual display of dressed dolls, toilet soaps, perfumes and fine stationery will be on the table in the new room. These goods, in addition to the rich array of suitable presents offered in the old room, will afford a grand assistance to all in doubt about what to give.

AS NEXT WEEK WILL BE A busy one, morning shopping should be popular with ladies desiring to avoid the crowds and shop leisurely and comfortably. Starting Tuesday night, all M. R. A. stores will be open evenings until 10 o'clock.

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Huyler's—10c to \$4.00. Moirs—50 Kinds, 50c lb. Fancy Boxes 30c each.

Santa Claus Snow 10c. box. Red and Green Twine 10c ball.

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BOYANER Scientific Optician, 38 Dock Street. Close 6 p. m. Sat. 9 p. m. Optics exclusively.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. Too late for classification.

WANTED—Second-hand double seat auto ash pump. Address: Pungie, Times 319-28.

BOY WANTED—To learn the drug business. Apply at once to S. H. Hawker, Druggist, cor. Mill street and Paradise row. 5712-12-24.

LODGINGS—108 Union street, corner Charlotte, \$1.00 to \$3.00 electric lights, bath with one of telephone. 3117-27.

BOARDING—Rooms with or without board. Terms moderate. Mrs. Keely, 178 Princess street. 3129-12-31.

LET—Small furnished flat, 20 Brussels street. 3118-27.

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FARM FOR DRUNKARDS

The Times yesterday dealt with the great need of an institution for drunkards. The existing system does not cure, while the custom of fining men works a very great hardship in many cases, where wives and children must suffer the loss of money that the inebriate can be cured, in the assertion made by Dr. Crothers, of Hartford, Conn., who during the past 25 years has devoted his time to the work of helping unfortunates of this class. Dr. Crothers, who is superintendent of the Walnut Lodge Hospital for Drunkards and Drug-takers in Hartford, and the editor of a journal devoted to this subject, came to Toronto this week to address a meeting held by the Ontario Society for the Reformation of Inebriates.

CITY GOVERNMENT

The Ottawa Journal in an article defining a board of control as compared with the old city council system, makes out even a stronger case in favor of a commission, which would not find itself forever in conflict as boards of control are with boards of aldermen. Where there is a board of control there is also a city council, and the two do not work well together. Where there is a commission of five men, all elected by the people, and by the recall system kept constantly amenable to popular opinion, there is no divided responsibility and no deadlock. The Journal puts the case thus:—
"When you come to want to put a big business man's nose to the municipal grindstone in a big city—to ask him to give hard work and continuous time to the multitudinous affairs of a hundred thousand people, to do it amid the conflicting ideas and tempers of a couple of dozen other aldermen, and to do it free for the convenience of a hundred thousand people, ninety-nine thousand of whom he doesn't know, and who don't know him and don't care anything about him, and won't likely trouble to thank him for anything he does—why, that is a horse of another color. The larger a city gets, the more steadily the principle of aldermanic government tends inevitably to deterioration."
In other words, in a city like St. John, a group of five able men, chosen by the double election system, and made absolutely and always responsible under the recall system to the popular will, would do the city's business promptly and wisely, in case they would always be on the job, in

touch every day with the details of every department, and conscious that there could be no evasion of responsibility by shifting it to the shoulders of others.
MUST HAVE HOSPITAL
That the St. John Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis acted wisely in starting a fund to provide a home for advanced cases is made clear from the address of J. G. Adams, M. D., L. F. R. S., president of the Canadian Association, at the annual meeting in Montreal this year. Dr. Adams said:—
"More and more I am convinced that the crux of the problem lies in the treatment of the indigent and incurable consumptives. Isolate these and forthwith the main source of infection is removed from our midst. Permit them to remain in the bosom of their families, to live and sleep in the same rooms with other members of the poverty-stricken household, expectorating and discharging the bacilli broadcast, weakened by the disease to the point that they no longer have the energy or even the inclination to protect those around them, and they become the centres from which the whole family and succeeding tenants of the rooms become infected."
This is an expression of the views of an expert. It is a plain statement, the truth and force of which must be apparent to every reader. There are many such centres of infection in St. John as these of which Dr. Adams speaks. To stop the spread of the disease these centres must be dealt with, and the patients isolated. Hence the need of an institution at the very outset of the struggle. Let us quote a little further from Dr. Adams' address, to discover the attitude of provincial authorities toward this question. New Brunswick is singled out as the province most backward in this respect. Dr. Adams says:—
"In accordance with a resolution passed at the Hamilton meeting last year, I wrote as president to the various provincial governments and to the general hospitals throughout the Dominion, calling attention to the urgent need that indigent incurable cases be not treated as social outcasts, but that when a general hospital is in receipt of government assistance, and where in a district there is no institution for incurable cases, there is a distinct call upon such general hospitals to assume the care of such. This demand, I may say, is set upon by all the western provinces, from Manitoba to British Columbia, and to all intents and purposes is acted upon under the Ontario law. The eastern provinces alone do not yet admit it, and, as I learn, this official communication on my part was received with not a little opposition in New Brunswick."
Dr. Adams points out that in the east there is not a per capita grant for hospitals as in the west, but that nevertheless action should be taken. The thought of the Association was that if the hospitals expressed a willingness to perform a necessary public duty there would be such a demand upon the government and the municipalities to assume the care of such cases that they would be powerless to resist, "seeing that this duty is now recognised by all governments that can be called civilized throughout the world."
Dr. Adams takes the view that it is an economic mistake to multiply special hospitals, where it is possible to utilize existing institutions. The chief point to be noted is, however, that advanced cases must be taken care of in an institution of some kind, and this removes the most dangerous centres of infection. This we must do in St. John.
The Ottawa humorist of the St. John Standard regards the invasion of parliament by the farmers as the bitterest blow the Liberal party has yet received. If it is a blow for the Liberals it must be a knockout for the high tariff Tories.
An exchange says:—
"Almost three thousand years ago a Jewish philosopher denounced him that 'giveth to the rich.' Giving to the rich is one of the vices which display most freely at Christmas time, while all around us are the poor who cannot give again. Try Solomon's recipe for happiness."
The Toronto Globe says:—
"Prince Edward Island is talking of rebellion if membership in the Dominion Parliament is reduced. A province that gives a man four years for stealing whiskey and two years for biting somebody's ear will certainly punish rebellion with becoming seriousness."
The Ottawa board of control woke up one day this week to discover that the city engineer, city treasurer and city auditor were all out of town without leave, instead of being in their several offices attending to business. The board of control then asked itself why it failed to control, and there was an interesting discussion on the subject.
Dr. Shronk, M. P., estimates that three and a half millions of Canada's population are engaged in agricultural pursuits. It must count for more in tariff legislation than many people had believed. It is not surprising that the Canadian Manufacturers' Association is saying nice things to the farmer delegation at Ottawa.

FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

Don't forget that you are a gentleman. Don't forget that the clerk's legs are as tired as yours. Don't forget that there is a rush home on the car. Don't forget to see that your bundles are wrapped and tied securely. Don't fail to make out a list before you start. Don't carry your money in an outside pocket. Don't argue. Don't expect goods to be delivered instantly after you buy them. Don't fail to take small parcels with you.

WHEN HE GOES BROKE

This highest of all living is a problem, I admit. We set down to the grocery every night and argue it. And we don't seem to get nowhere, for all things keep slipping by. And a cent or two is added to the things we have to buy. Ever since I started to buy 'em, till the 'outside' mighty plum. Why, even while a feller sleeps the price is climbing some. But I want to go on record that advising just couldn't even get a cent more than I think it's worth.
The added cost of Christmas! That's the thing that makes me sad. Every Christmas there is somewhere some poor, wee, wretched broken lad. That doesn't get no presents, and with prices up so high. There will be a lot more of 'em Santa's likely to pass by. An' that's why I'm sort of kickin' on the boosted price of things. Like these little dolls an' buggies, an' those little holly swings. Such as girls like. Don't mistake me for myself. I don't care none. For I will go broke this Christmas in the way I've always done.
I can't think of empty stockings hangin' bumpy Christmas mornin'. Without almost feelin' sorry to think I was ever born. An' I tell you empty stocking Christmas mornin' ain't no joke. To an old chap built as I am, for that day I'm always broke. Mother says we're sort of agin' an' we must get something by. That will keep us from the evenin' of our lives drawin' nigh. An' I reckon mother's right in warnin' me of things that way. But I can't help goin' busted every year on Christmas day.—Chicago News.

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MARK TWAIN
(Read by Dr. Van Dyke at recent memorial banquet to Mark Twain.)
"We know you well, dear Yorick of the West. The very soul of large and friendly jest. That loved and mocked the broad grotesque of things. In this New World where all the folks are kings. In this World where all the folks are kings."
Your breezy humor cleared the air with sport. Of shuns that haunt the demeritic court. For even where the sovereign people rule. A human monarch needs a royal fool.
Your native drawl lent flavor to your wit. Your arrows lingered, but they always hit. Honoric mirth around the circle ran. But left no wound upon the heart of man.
We knew you kind in trouble, brave in pain. We saw your honor kept without a stain. We read this lesson of our Yorick's year. True wisdom comes with laughter and with tears."

IN LIGHTER VEIN

WHAT SHE EXPECTS FOR CHRISTMAS
A diamond ring.
A solid gold bracelet.
A silver dresser set.
Manicure outfit.
A necklace of pearls.
WHAT SHE'LL GET
A two-dollar handkerchief (near leather).
Two last year's seventy-five cent perfume (two ounces).
A book of poems.
A picture calendar.
A box of notepaper.
UNKNIND
Hiram—"Say Katie, did yer see when I was holdin' yer hand, the funny look yer face gave me."
Katie—"Go on! Ma didn't give it to yer, you always had it."

A LA ASPHALT

Young wife—"I made the frosting on the cake myself."
Hubby—"Then our fortune is made! I am going to leave it to you. It will revolutionize street pavements."

NOTHING DOING THEM

Singleton—"Do you believe in the old adage about marrying in haste and repenting at leisure?"
Wedderly—"No, I don't. After a man marries he has no leisure."—Smart Set.

ACCOMMODATING

The gilded youth had entered his father's bank to learn the business. "Son," said the gratified banker, "I am glad to see that you get here promptly at nine."
"I could get here even earlier, dad, but, you know, closes at five."

A SHREWD CANDIDATE

"I spoke in favor of good roads," said the candidate to his business partner.
"And what did your opponent say to that?"
"He immediately spoke in favor of better roads. That fellow is a shrewd man."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SANTA ON THE WAY

"I can hear the hoof-beats thudding. As the snow is flung behind. And his long sleigh is scudding. With the merry bells that ring. And the echoes now are ringing Broken murmurs of the song. That old Santa Claus is singing. While the reindeer speed along."

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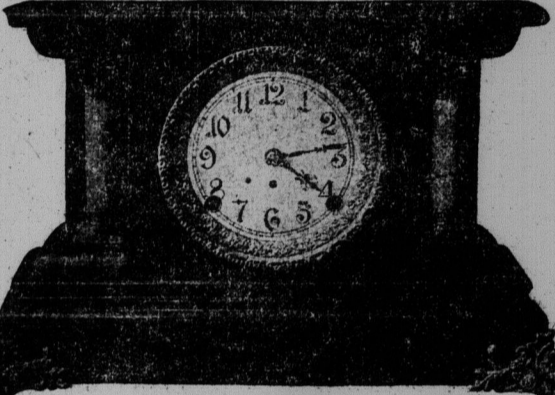


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Ladies' Cape Gloves, prix seams, guaranteed, \$1.00 a pair.
Fownes Glove Kid Gloves, all guaranteed, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 per pair.
Mocha and Cape Lined Gloves, in fur wool and angora lining, from 80c. to \$3.00 a pair.
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THE LYRIC
Jack Frost did not seem to keep it crowds away from the Lyric Theatre yesterday as the warm and cozy house he hugged-sized audiences at all performances. Mr. Duggan, the roller skater and dancer reported the success he attained on 1 opening night and the picture program pleased immensely. The first of the special vaudeville Xmas features will be presented on Monday in Brooks and Kinn, a team joined as high class comedians and gymnasts. The antics of 4 clown in their offering is expected to be genuine fun and the management expect it to be an acrobatic act away above it.

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MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

Eighty-four candidates were to be advanced to orders in the Roman Catholic church in St. James' Cathedral, Montreal, today, by Archbishop Bruchési. Of the candidates twenty-one were to become priests, seven deacons, eighteen subdeacons, and forty will receive the tonsure and minor orders.

Three men who robbed and beat a young girl in Chinatown, N. Y., were sentenced yesterday to Sing Sing for 31 years each. A seventy mile gale in the English Channel last night did considerable damage to shipping, but no serious disaster was reported up to a late hour.

In an engagement lasting several hours at La Junta, Mexico, yesterday, the rebels defeated the government troops and the remainder of the government forces surrendered their arms, and were allowed their liberty.

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The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
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Fashion Hints for Times Readers



A WARM UTILITY COAT LINED WITH FUR

For the woman who lives out of town, such a coat as this is ideal for winter wear. The town woman does not require anything so heavy except for motor wear, though for limousine use over little afternoon frocks of thin satin or perma stuff these coats are much liked. The model illustrated is built of dark blue melton, with a warm lining of unlined mink, a fur collar, and a high neck. It is now by Drexell and Paquin. This fur coat is for limousine use over little afternoon frocks of thin satin or perma stuff these coats are much liked. The model illustrated is built of dark blue melton, with a warm lining of unlined mink, a fur collar, and a high neck. It is now by Drexell and Paquin.

The Evening Chit-Chat
By RUTH CAMERON

As we were passing through a narrow passageway leading toward the trains in a certain big depot the other night three men bore down upon us, running as if for dear life, and, as they tormented past, knocked my companion's umbrella from his hand.

He picked it up, brushed it off, opened his mouth as if to speak, and then closed it again, without speaking.

I tried to relieve his feelings by railing against the abominable rudeness and carelessness of the fellows of others that some people show, but to my surprise, he didn't seem to feel grateful.

"What's the matter," I queried, "why don't you say something?"

"Well, you know," he answered, "I was going to say something quite vigorous, and then I stopped to think first if I might not have done the same thing in their places. You see it's eleven o'clock, and that was their last train. If they'd missed it they'd have had to stay here all night or take a two-hour trip on the electric. I suppose I might have been a little bit careless myself if I'd had their reasons for hurrying."

"I try to make it a plan never to let myself get angry at anyone until I've put myself in the other fellow's place and been able to say, 'I know I wouldn't have done it under the circumstances.'"

"How's that for a plan? Whenever a wave of indignation or resentment or displeasure against anyone greets you, try to force it back until you have 'put yourself' in his place."

I think it is a pretty good plan. I have tried it several times, and like my companion of the other night, I can't give myself the right to be angry very often.

I tried it the other day in a lunch room. I ordered some salad. It arrived without bread and butter. The waitress, having deposited it, scooted away, and apparently did not contemplate returning. After waiting several minutes, I inquired mildly of a waitress who strayed near my table if they didn't serve bread and butter with salad there. "She's getting it for you just as fast as she can," she stammered.

I had inquired mildly and didn't think I deserved any such reply, so my first impulse was to be vexed with the waitress for being a disagreeable old thing. And then I made myself stop and think. "Suppose I'd worked hard all day, and was tired, and suppose I heard some one cooing what I considered an aspersion upon a sister waitress, who also had worked hard, wasn't it just possible that I might have resented it in a similar manner?"

And I felt so very uncertain of the answer that I had to make myself swallow my indignation post haste.

A most interesting and eye-opening plan, truly! Won't you try it the next time you are inclined to feel indignant or resentful against or superior to anybody?

Daily Hints for the Cook

SOUR CREAM COOKIES.
One cup of sour cream, very thick, sweeten with one even teaspoon of soda. One cup sugar, beat well together, two cups of flour sifted with one teaspoon of baking powder, one teaspoon of vanilla, one teaspoon of salt. Sprinkle sugar and coconut if preferred on the top and roll in before cutting. Roll quarter of an inch thick. Bake a light brown.

BROWN HASH.
Free cooked beef or mutton from fat or gristle and chop fine, seasoning it very lightly with salt and pepper. Add an equal quantity of cold potatoes also chopped fine. Put in frying pan, adding sufficient stock--water must be used if you have no stock--to moisten thoroughly. Heat slowly, stirring often until very hot. For one pint of hash spread over the top one tablespoonful of sweet beef dripping or butter, cover closely and draw to one side for 20 minutes, where it will crust on the bottom without burning. Fold over like an omelet and turn out on a hot platter.

APPLE CUTLETS.
Make a stiff apple puree, sweeten to taste and stir in a little softened gelatin. Set aside to cool. Meanwhile cut some slices of sponge cake, trim them neatly and lay them on flat dish. Moisten each with a little fruit juice, and when the puree is partly cool cover each sponge slice with a layer of puree, keeping the whole shape. When quite cold arrange on lace paper doilies or in an ornamental dish. Ornament with cut angelica and crystallized violets.

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Christmas in History

Of all the days in the year Christmas has become the most memorable. Looking backward into history this also holds true—but with limitations. Few of the big events of history happened on Christmas Day. On the other hand, a surprising number of interesting episodes in the history of the nations occurred on this great day of all holidays. Many of them, too, seem to be peculiarly appropriate to the day.

The most memorable Christmas Day in American history was toward the close of 1776, the eve of the day on which George Washington defeated the Hessian army at the Battle of Trenton. On that Christmas night the Father of His Country made his immortal crossing of the Delaware. On one side of the river, encamped in the town of Trenton, were the German mercenaries of the British Army. On the other roared the American command, defeated, discouraged, footsore and hungry, and on the eve of dissolution.

Then came the rift in the gloom of that cheerless festival day. Washington determined on a bold stroke. Across the river the Hessian troops had a reason and encamping in their camp all day long. In direct contrast to the desolation and despair in the American lines, Christmas revelry ran high. As the shades of the evening and stormy night closed down, the hilarious Redcoats, worn out from their carousals, threw themselves on their pallets, exhausted, and dreamed pleasant dreams of chasing the ragged Continentals over hill and dale. The befuddled sentries slept on their outposts. The campfires burned low through lack of nursing. With the increased, sweetly flowing Delaware between them and their enemies, the British camp felt secure in its slumbers.

But they had reckoned without the indomitable spirit of the American leader. Cautiously and in silence the American army was assembled on the opposite shore. Through the ice and storm, in peril of life and limb with every stroke of the muffled oars, the American army embarked in small boats and landed on the British side of the river. General Sullivan had reached the American camp late on Christmas Day with recruits from Pennsylvania. In all, General Washington had some five thousand troops. But of this number, only one division under the command of Washington and Sullivan, was able to conquer the elements and effect a landing on the enemy's ground.

At 4 o'clock in the morning the freezing, nearly exhausted American soldiers set out on their march to Trenton. The surprise was complete. Colonel Bahl, commander of the Hessians, had his Christmas revelries, which he was prolonging with his favorite officers, rudely interrupted by the rattle of musketry. Dashing his wine cup to the floor and seizing his sword he rushed out to his panic-stricken men. The Americans had hemmed them in on all sides and were pouring upon them a devastating fire. The British officer, a man of courage and determination, tried his utmost to form his bewildered troops for action. But in vain. Hundreds of the boastful Hessians immediately threw down their arms. Many others, along with the British cavalry, wildly sought safety in flight. Colonel Bahl himself was mortally wounded, striving valiantly to rally his troops.

The American victory was overwhelming. Feeling certain that he could not hold the town against the British forces that would assemble themselves on the morrow, determined to wipe out their

disgraceful defeat, Washington recrossed the raging river. More than that, he took with him hundreds of prisoners and many hostesses of the spoils of the British camp. His victory cost him but four men, two of whom were shot and the other two frozen to death in crossing the Delaware. Thus, aside from the immortal heroism of the Americans, it was the German joy in celebrating Christmas Day that gave the Continental army its inspiration to continue the war at a time when all seemed lost.

The next Christmas Day was the darkest saddest in American history. Washington at Valley Forge! What need to recall again the terrible gloom and suffering of that period? The memory of it lives to the present day and will live as long as the Stars and Stripes are given to the winds of Heaven.

One baffling defeat after another had reduced the American army to despair. Men were dying through the camp each

day from starvation and cold. They slept with nothing between them and the frozen ground but their ragged clothes, shoes less and half-frozen, some three thousand of them were unable to even lift a musket. Never in all American history, has there been such a cheerless Christmas eve as the one that closed down on those suffering heroes at Valley Forge—the eve, when all the earth is supposed to respond with the joyous peep and praise that heralds the birth of the Christ Child.

Especially by contrast, the Christmas of a dozen years later must have been one of untold joy. It was the first Christmas of the first president of the United States—and that president was, of course, the same Washington who bore the brunt of the terrible winter at Valley Forge. On that happy day the home of the president was thrown open to the populace and Mrs. Washington herself saw to their entertainment.

There was no display, no lavish expenditure, no interperate hilarity—simply wholesome, hard-won rejoicing over the fruits of heroism and victory.

Going back to the early history of the nation in a search for historic Christmas-mass, one comes upon the first Christmas of the Pilgrim Fathers at Plymouth, Mass. They landed December 21, 1620—just four days before Christmas day—just four days before Christmas day. The great day itself brought forth no other chance of the Natal Day of the Saviour

ter now in the midst of their joyful celebration of Christmas in the good old English way.

Not was their second Christmas on American soil any different. Indeed, the stern governor of the colony, William Bradford, ordered that anyone found observing Christmas Day by either absence from labor or in feasting, should pay a fine of five shillings. It was not until a full century later that this anti-Christmas sentiment was relaxed; from then on the famous old-fashioned New England Christmas was developed and indulged in.

On Christmas Eve, 1814, the treaty of peace between Great Britain and the United States was made, concluding the War of 1812. Early in the year 1814 it was intimated that Great Britain was willing to negotiate for peace. Accordingly, both countries sent commissioners to Ghent, Belgium. For America there were John Quincy Adams, Clay, Jayard, Gal-

latin and Russell. A virtual deadlock resulted. In the meantime the war still went on until the treaty was signed on Christmas Eve. Through the matter of jeopardizing American commerce and impressing American sailors on the high seas—the causes of the war—were not touched upon in the treaty, it was tacitly agreed that there would be no cause for complaint on these scores. The news of the signing of the treaty did not reach the United States, however, until February 17, 1815, and a battle was fought in January of that year at New Orleans, though the treaty had been signed nearly a month previous.

Coming down to the Civil War, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, 1864, witnessed the bombardment of Wilmington by the Federal troops. An expedition against Fort Fisher and Cannell, which defended the approaches to Wilmington, was organized by Admiral Porter and General Butler late in 1864. On Christmas Eve Porter exploded a powder ship near Fort Fisher, without injuring the fortifications, however. Then the Federal fleet opened fire and finally silenced the guns of the enemy. On Christmas Day Federal troops were landed to take the fort by assault, but General Butler soon realized that his task was a foolhardy one and withdrew his forces to Hampton Roads.

On Christmas Eve, 1851, a portion of the old dome of the capitol and the Library of Congress, at Washington, D. C., were burned. More than half of the books of the library, along with many valuable paintings, draperies and over a thousand bronze medals of great age were destroyed. Several pieces of statuary were injured beyond repair and the dome of the capitol itself was demolished.

A Christmas day peculiarly significant in its events and strikingly impressive through the sheer nature of them was that of the year 466, when Clovis, king of the Franks, along with his army, was baptized into the Christian faith at Rheims. The Franks were a confederation of German tribes, who had dwelt since the third century on the right bank of the Rhine, and who eventually migrated to Gaul. After many incursions they became masters of the left bank of the lower Rhine, as well as of their own territory.

In 486 one of their chiefs, Hlodowig, or Clovis, as he is more generally known, expelled the Romans from Northern Gaul and settled there with his tribesmen. Thus he came into contact with Christianity at once, and Remigius, bishop of Rheims, became his friend and adviser. Finally in 496, he vowed to accept Christianity if the God of his wife would give him the victory over the invading army of the Alemanni. His army victorious, he kept his oath, and on Christmas Day, he followed him as implicitly in this matter as they had in battle, was baptized into the Christian faith.

Who has not heard of the merry old outlaw of Sherwood forest—Robin Hood? Named in song and story, the romance of

his deceptions upon the wealthy and his lavish distribution of his spoils of the highway among the poor bids fair to appeal to lovers of adventure for all time. But that he died on Christmas eve, in the year 1247—so the story goes—seems not to be a matter of general knowledge.

After many years of defiance of the English king, in which his courage and his skill at archery played no small part, Robin Hood fell sick at a certain manory, in Yorkshire. A pretty tale of his death, however, is the effect that from his couch in the manory he seized his favorite bow and discharged an arrow through the open window, directing one of his outlaw band who was present to bury him where the arrow fell.

Another legend has it that while ill in the manory and being "let of a little blood," as was the custom of the day, he was betrayed and allowed to bleed to death. There is a gravestone at Kirkstall,

on the following day it was covered with milk-white blossoms.

Christmas Day of the year 800 witnessed the crowning of Charlemagne, Emperor of the West, at Rome. It was the consummation of his life's work. Born in 742, he succeeded his father as king of the Franks 20 years later. Immediately he began his great mission of conquering and converting the Saxons. He wedded into one great monarchy the various races of Germany. When he was crowned emperor of the Romans on that Christmas Day his power became supreme.

Five days before Christmas of the year 1099 Ignatius, the bishop, was condemned to death by wild beasts by the Emperor Trajan, at Antioch. From then on his martyrdom was celebrated in the churches of Antioch on Christmas Day. He was said to have been one of the children whom Christ took up in his arms and blessed.

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"They knelt on the snow-covered ground and offered prayers for the sick, the hungry and the dying."



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of Paris as the Little Corporal and his suite drove to the first performance of Haydn's oratorio of the "Creation." By sheer good fortune the charge of gunpowder went off between the carriage of the Emperor and the one following, in which were Josephine and her ladies, and the interval between them was sufficiently great to prevent any but a mere start and shock to the occupants. Napoleon continued to the opera, calmly seated himself in his box and surveyed the audience through his opera glasses.

On Christmas Day, of the year 1066, William the First was crowned King of England, at Westminster three months after his landing. Citizens of Wessex and London, after a siege, agreed to accept him as their sovereign. He reigned not as a conqueror, but as a lawful king.

The day after Christmas, 1183, at the death of Henry, the "Plantagenet," Stephen, a son of William the Conqueror's daughter, was crowned King of England. Without a following of nobles and with only his sheer personality to back him, he was accepted by popular acclaim. The day before his coronation—Christmas Day—must have been an exciting and busy one, indeed.

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DAD'S CHRISTMAS. I don't care whether I get a thing, So long as the babies are merry; So long as with joy their voices ring You bet I'll be happy, very. My Christmas doesn't depend on what The day has in store for me, So long as the babies laugh a lot Contented and glad I'll be. Don't worry about what to get for dad, Spend all that you have for toys And make the hearts of the youngsters glad. Get things for the girls and boys, Just let me sit in my old arm-chair With my pipe, on Christmas day, And I'll be happy if I can see there The little ones romp in play. Take the money you'd spend for a necktie Or a pair of shoes, and buy a doll, And purchase a Teddy bear, Or a train of cars or some soldiers true Or a dolly with golden hair. Buy horns and drums and the sugar plums To put on the Christmas tree, And I'll be happy when Christmas comes Though nobody things of me.

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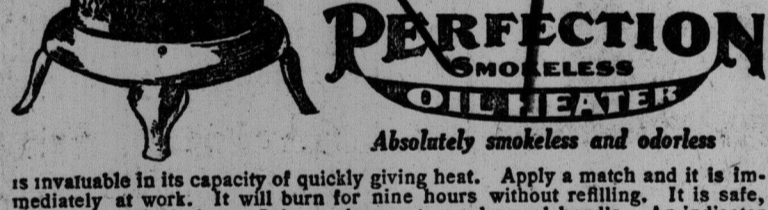
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TUMULT IN REICHSTAG

Violent Row With Socialists And The Lie is Passed

Berlin, Dec. 16.—There was a violent row in the Reichstag in connection with the trial of the men arrested at the time of the strike in the Mohit quarter, which is not yet finished. Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, in discussing the matter, said that whatever the outcome of the trial, the moral responsibility for the riot rested on Socialists. "As soon as the socialist deputies to fury and they rushed, shouting and gesturing to the ministerial table. Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's tall figure towered above the angry throng as he stood unmoved, while his opponents showed their fists and hurled epithets at him, while the president vainly clanged his bell for order. Suddenly a strident voice was heard above the din exclaiming: "You have lied." This brought the non-Socialists into the racket with a counter chorus of epithets against the Socialists, and there was a long pandemonium. As soon as there was sufficient silence, the president demanded to know who had shouted. "You have lied," Herr Kurlner, a Socialist, impatiently claimed the

distinction and was formally called to order. The chancellor then resumed his remarks, saying nothing could alter what he had stated, whatever isolated mistakes individual policemen might have made. This caused a renewal of the tumult, members of the Right and the Socialist shouting at one another until they were tired.

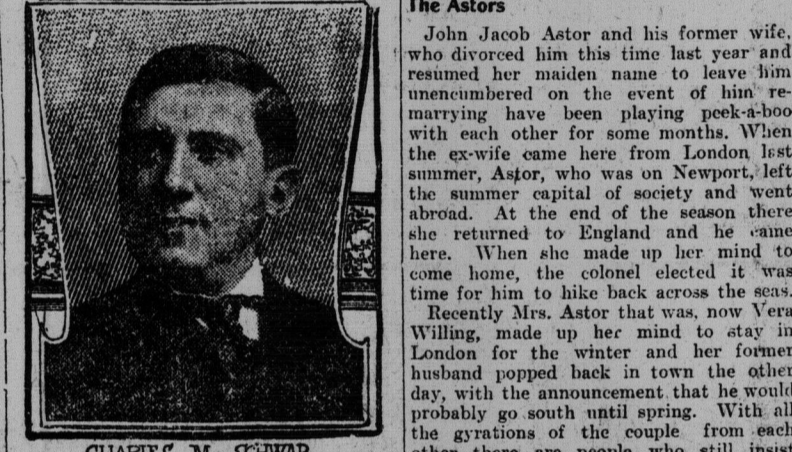
Pointed Paragraphs
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Paying attention to a girl, young man is apt to result in your having a lot of other things to pay.
The world soon loses interest in a man who spends half his time making promises and the other half in explaining why he didn't keep them.
The early Christmas dinner avoids the crowd.
Most people who are short of brains are long on tongue.
Divorce is an epithet frequently carried upon love's tombstone.
Soldiers in a place where many a man encounters an enemy.
Scolding tears are apt to flow when a woman is boiling with rage.
Some people jump at a conclusion—the curtain falls on the last act.
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Millionaire Reopens Palatial Home in Riverside Drive—Twenty-Five Servants—Gossip of Gotham and People of Note There

Special Correspondence of The Times Star
New York, Dec. 16.—Preliminary to embarking upon an extensive social campaign, the controlling motif of which will be the encouragement of the young set, Charles M. Schwab, the steel magnate, has reopened his \$7,000,000 mansion in Riverside Drive. The new, five-story, castle-like structure has been boarded up for two years its owner claiming that he felt lonely amid its labyrinth of medieval chambers.



It takes twenty-five servants to keep the place in order and costs \$230 a day for its upkeep. In the matter of servants he has five the best of his old boss Andrew Carnegie, who keeps twenty in his Fifth Avenue and twenty in his Riverside Drive home. Schwab, while acknowledging his plan to spend a good part of his time in the Riverside Drive house, says he will not abandon his modest little home at South Bethlehem, Pa., where his big steel plant is located. It was to his home that he retreated when the cares of managing his New York mansion weighed upon him.

During the winter he will act as host of every prominent diplomat of influence visiting these shores. Schwab will not abandon his social entertainments as one of the most effective ways of winning the good will of those who are in a position to help him in his ambition. There was an employe riot day before yesterday in one of the uptown streets, all because a secret was accused by an unhappy husband, of breaking up his home. The psychic one claimed to be able to tell what the hubby was doing when he was away from home at night. The rich European, however, goes him several better in the matter of extravagance. When the late Duke of Devonshire maintained a costly steam yacht, owned a palatial home in New York and another in Newport, filled them with valuable works of art, makes annual journeys to the other side, and seemingly gives his wife his bank accounts, he never was so well treated as the Duke of Devonshire. An American of great wealth perhaps maintains a costly steam yacht, owns a palatial home in New York and another in Newport, filled them with valuable works of art, makes annual journeys to the other side, and seemingly gives his wife his bank accounts, he never was so well treated as the Duke of Devonshire.

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New South African Stamp

Of interest to philatelists is the new postage stamp issued by the Union of South Africa. This production is unique inasmuch as it is the first stamp issued bearing the effigy of King George V., and also as marking an epoch in the history of that portion of the empire. The stamp, which is the ordinary one, is being rendered necessary to include the crests of the four uniting colonies of the Cape, Natal, Orange Free State and Transvaal.

The bilingual character of the new stamp is indicated by the fact that the words, "Union of South Africa," appear also in Dutch. As it may be purchased between South Africa and the postal union countries, this stamp will not be called into use very much for correspondence purposes.

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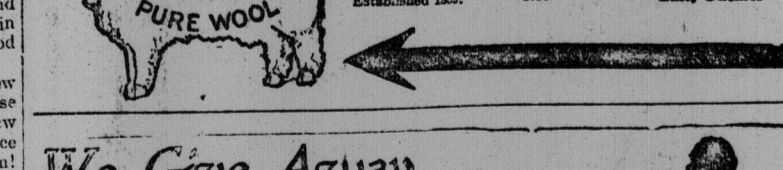
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THREE MEN KILLED AT HILLSBORO

Buried Under Tons of Rock in Gypsum Quarry of Albert Manufacturing Company — Several Other Workmen Had a Close Call

Hillsboro, N. B., Dec. 16.—Buried beneath 200 or 400 tons of rock and their lives instantly snuffed out was the terrible fate that befell three workmen in the Albert Manufacturing Company quarries at Hillsboro, Albert county, about 3 o'clock this afternoon, while several others had miraculous escapes.

The Dead
Fred Nelson, aged 40.
Edward Collett, aged 45.
Theophilus Allain, aged 25.

Edward Dupluis, who was severely injured. The crew were working on the face and at the foot of about a forty-foot embankment, two of the men were drilling into the face of the quarry with a view of blasting the top off when suddenly the mountain of rock gave away and fell, burying the three men.

Fred Nelson and Ernest Allain were about half-way up the face of the embankment drilling for the blast, James Livingstone, foreman, being with them. Below at the foot of the embankment, were Edward Collett, Theophilus Allain and Edward Dupluis, who were leading plaster rock on to a cart.

As the large body of rock above Nelson and Ernest Allain gave way it carried Nelson down to death but Allain, who had a moment's warning, jumped aside and saved his life by a hair's breadth.

James Livingstone, foreman, who was watching the drilling close at hand, also caught a glimpse of the falling rock and stepped aside and miraculously escaped death.

These below, however, had little or no warning and hundreds of tons fell upon them, and upon a horse and cart and completely buried all but Edward Dupluis, who was pinned down but in some miraculous way escaped death.

It took five men to pry the rock off Dupluis, who, however, was apparently not seriously injured, being able to walk away when released.

Workmen quickly began work of moving the rock from Nelson, Collett and Theophilus Allain, but when found they were extinct. The bodies were horribly mangled and crushed almost out of human resemblance.

The fall of rock was due to a crevice in the embankment, which ran from the top to the bottom, but was hidden from view, being about six or eight feet back from the surface.

Foreman Livingstone had gone all over the face of the quarry yesterday and was unable to find a crack or sign that would likely cause a rock slide and the catastrophe was, therefore, totally unforeseen and no fault of the management or men.

It was purely one of the accidents peculiar to plaster mining. As the drillers searched the hidden seam it weakened the support of tons of rock above and giving way the whole mass fell with an awful crash.

This fearful disaster was a climax to several minor accidents that had occurred in the quarries within the last week or two.

The accident occurred about the middle of the afternoon, and being the worst in the history of the quarries it has cost deep gloom over Hillsboro and the surrounding country.

One of the victims, Fred Nelson, belongs to Albert Mines, and is survived by a wife and two children. The other two victims, Edward Collett and Theophilus Allain, belong to Kent county, near Beauséjour, where their families live. Collett leaves a wife and eight children, Allain who was 23 years old, was unmarried. Ernest Allain, who had such a narrow escape, is a co-miner.

PARLIAMENT ADJOURNS UNTIL JANUARY 11
Ottawa, Dec. 16.—The house of commons is off for home on Christmas holidays. There was a short and slimly attended sitting this afternoon and an adjournment until January 11.

A good deal of civil government supply was put through during the three hours the members were in their places, though once it was discovered that there was not a quorum present and members had to be summoned from the lobby.

The importance of the farmers' delegation was emphasized by a suggestion made by R. L. Borden that 25,000 copies of the proceedings be printed for general distribution. He said that the occasion was a memorable one in several respects.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that in his opinion the suggestion was a good one and he indicated that it would be carried into effect.

ARRESTS IN GET RICH PROJECTS ARE MADE
Philadelphia, Dec. 16.—Nineteen arrests were made by postal inspectors today, in towns in Pennsylvania and New Jersey in the government's crusade against persons accused of using the mails to defraud. All the delinquents were held in jail for trial, or for further hearing. Seven of the defendants were given hearings in Philadelphia. These were four officials of the "Chain Shoe Store Syndicate," with offices in this city; two constitute the Fin. Heights Company, a New Jersey land improvement concern, with Philadelphia connections, and the seventh is a local physician.

OLD MEN ARE NOT WANTED Only Young Looking Men Engaged Now

In these days of strenuous competition when dividends count for more than men, the man who retains his youth is the man who holds his job the longest. That is why young men should take good care of their hair. If you grow bald at 30 or 35 or even when you are older, that bald spot will so far as appearance goes add 10 years to your life.

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PREMIER'S REPLY TO FARMERS

Partial Compliance With Requests Likely — Will Await Outcome of Reciprocity Negotiations Before Touching Tariff

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reply to the farmers' requests in the House of Commons today was as follows: "I thought we were to receive a delegation from the west, but I understand that the delegation represents the agricultural interests of the whole of Canada, east and west. But you will perhaps permit me to observe that it seems that though the delegation represents the whole of Canada, it is the western spirit which pervades it. I am not surprised at that, nor do I complain, because we are in the east and are for the domination of the west at a very early day. We have understood that in the west ideas are more radical than they are in the east."

"I do not believe that the farmers of the east are prepared to go so far as gentlemen of the west. I am in favor of government ownership of operation of all public utilities, railways, and elevators. The idea may perhaps be a good one. I understand that you have started a campaign of education. I may perhaps be the first to be educated on this point, but up to this time I have not been a supporter of government ownership and operation of all public utilities. To government ownership I may be persuaded, to government operation I may be persuaded also but with greater difficulty. In this I am a man of the east."

Of the tariff, the prime minister said it would not be wise to make the extensive revision asked for until the reciprocity negotiations now in progress with the United States were concluded. If Canada's trade relations could be changed so as to provide wider markets for farm and natural products, the country would immensely benefit. Any change with regard to manufactured products would be an immensely more difficult matter. However, the goal of the government was in the direction which the farmers were moving.

Of the elevator proposal, the prime minister declared that the remedy proposed would not be effective, for if Canada owned the elevators on the great lakes, there would be still transshipments at Port Colborne and at Montreal, where mixing frauds could be perpetrated.

"If we can improve the carriage of grain on the St. Lawrence route that it will not be possible to divert grain to American channels or to break bulk in the trip to Montreal, the problem would be solved. This can only be done by the enlargement of the Welland and St. Lawrence canals or the construction of the Georgian Bay and Ottawa River canal. When we have accomplished this I think we will have solved the problem in a better way than you suggest."

Of the Hudson Bay railroad, he said: "The government is prepared to proceed with the construction of the road at this moment. I am not a supporter of government ownership, but to that I may be persuaded, to government operation I may be persuaded also, but with greater difficulty."

On the general question of administration, Sir Wilfrid referred to the claim that the delegation represented \$200,000,000 of property wealth. "Well, if the farmers who have been in the west for less than twenty years have been able to accumulate that amount of property, it does not, after all, argue a very bad condition of things in Canada. It has been stated that the whole of the farmers in the west have accumulated wealth to the amount of \$1,200,000,000. Things might be better in Canada, but I repeat that after all they are not so very bad."

The reply of the prime minister occupied twenty minutes. The leaders of the delegation stated that while they did not expect the government to grant all of their demands, the prime minister had not gone as far as they think he should have done in the tariff, the elevator question and respecting the Hudson Bay railroad. They declared that the farmers' movement is only connecting in Canada, and that they will be at Ottawa next year and every year hereafter will demand which will eventually have to be satisfied.

Six hundred of the farmers accepted the invitation of the governor general, and took tea at Rideau Hall with Earl and the Countess of Grey. Tonight they are scattering throughout eastern Canada and the United States to visit relatives, which most of them have in the east.

The executive committee will have a conference with Sir Wilfrid Laurier on Monday on the Hudson Bay railroad, the tariff and the elevator question.

A Physical Wreck

Suffered Tortures from Nervousness. Miss Margaret Lee, 51 Robert St., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I was a wreck, reduced in body and depressed in mind. I suffered tortures from nervousness, and was totally unable for work. A friend recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla. I commenced taking it and by the time the bottle was used, I felt gradually better. Gradually I regained my strength and health. I feel now as if I had been born again. I can do any amount of work without it on any account and I am enthusiastic and energetic. I feel now as if I had been born again. I can do any amount of work without it on any account and I am enthusiastic and energetic. I feel now as if I had been born again. I can do any amount of work without it on any account and I am enthusiastic and energetic."

Memorial to Lincoln

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—A national memorial to Abraham Lincoln to be erected in Washington at a cost of \$2,000,000 is proposed in a bill introduced in congress by Senator Callahan, of Illinois.

AN IRISHMAN'S WALK

An Irishman walking on a serviceberry farm walked to Edinburgh, a distance of forty miles, to hear Mr. Lloyd George speak, promising he would be well returned at once if the first gave, so that he could resume his work. It is said he was in Edinburgh a day or so, and without waiting to hear the chancellor of the exchequer, he man walked straight back to the serviceberry farm to keep his promise. When he got back he was elated to find the ground covered with snow, and he went to bed in his room, and it was then too late to return to Edinburgh to hear the speech Mr. Lloyd George made.

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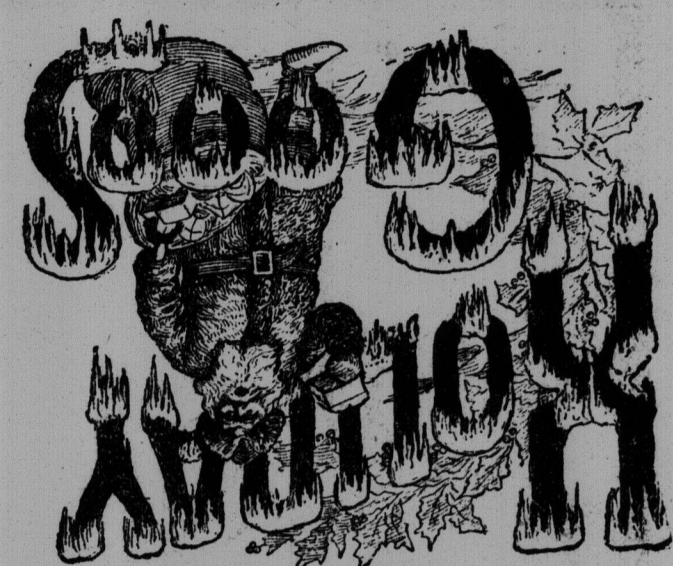
Children's White Bear Mitts, all sizes, 40c. each.
Children's White Bear Throwover Ties, 80c. each.
Children's Lace Shoulder Collars, 30c., 45c., 50c.
Infants' Kid Boots, all colors, 25c. pair.
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DAVID RUSSELL MAKES BIG SALE IN MONTREAL

(Montreal Star, Dec. 15)
At a price approximating \$900,000, the Bellevue apartment property in West St. Catherine and Metcalfe streets has changed hands, being purchased by a small syndicate of which A. F. Leggett has been the active member.

The property is assessed on the city roll at \$377,200, and is regarded as being one of the most valuable commercial realty parcels in Canada. There are frontages on three sides—St. Catherine street, Metcalfe and Dominion square.

The building was originally constructed to the order of M. S. Foley, and afterwards passed out of his hands, recently being held by the Dominion Square Land Company, Limited, a syndicate consisting of R. Wilson-Smith, David Russell and Victor Mitchell.

The property includes the apartment house and an adjoining lot which contains older structures presently occupied by the Scroggie firm. The apartment property consists of a building eight stories in height, seven floors being occupied by residences of which there are forty-two. The lower floor is occupied by a branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce and a restaurant.

The lot has a width of 63.5 feet and a depth of 170, making a total superficial area of 10,792.5 sq. ft.

It was said today that the other portion of the property will be improved, and this meant the new apartment hotel, an intricate matter which had not been a possibility.

The above-mentioned syndicate, which purchased this property some five years ago for about \$200,000, have doubled their money, including interest at 6 per cent from date of purchase. Three-fifths of the capital stock of the company was owned by David Russell, who negotiated the sale.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS

London, Dec. 16.—With only twenty-eight seats in the new House of Commons yet to be filled, the general election is practically closed. Of the various seats twenty already have been decided today, though the results will not be known until tomorrow.

The position of the contending parties tonight is: Government coalition, 377; Labour opposition, 95.

MUCH EASIER TASK. Of the culprits handed before a magistrate in Cork one Monday morning recently, there was one son of Erin who had caused no end of trouble to the police on the preceding Saturday night. The J. P. regarded the prisoner with mingled curiosity and indignation.

"So you are the man who gave the officers so much trouble?" his Honor asked. "I understand that it took half a dozen constables to lock you up."

"Yes yer hanner," responded Pat, with a broad grin; "but it won't take only one to let me out."

There isn't a particle of danger in going up in an airship. It is the coming down that hurts.

Webster Rowe, of Skowhegan, Me., a locksmith, last week received to be repaired an old flintlock gun, which he immediately recognized as one he had repaired 49 years ago. Taking the brass pieces from the end of the stock, he found his name where he had written it when he repaired the gun before. He is said that the gun was used in the battle of Lexington.

A DIFFERENCE. It's the way in which it's spelled, of course, which is so much depended; the village Blacksmith shoes the horse. While his good wife shoes the hens—Christian Science Monitor.

Some wives are economical, and in some others can't save up enough in a year to pay hubby's cigar bill for a week.

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Men's 35c. Braces, for 18c.
Boys' Boots, 98c. to \$1.88.
Women's Boots, \$1.28 to \$2.48.
Men's Boots, 98c. to \$3.48.
Men's Rubbers, 68c.
Women's Rubbers, 48c.
Girls' Rubbers, 45c.
Children's Rubbers, 38c.
Men's Overshoes, 88c. to \$1.28.
Men's Overshoes 2 Buckle, \$1.78.
Women's Overshoes 2 Buckle, \$1.48.
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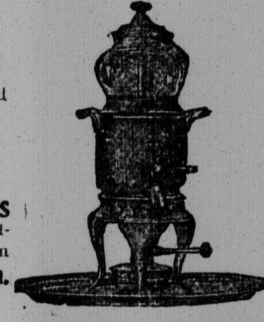


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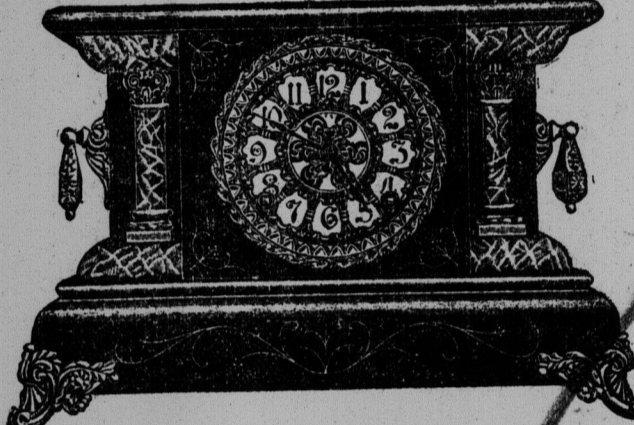
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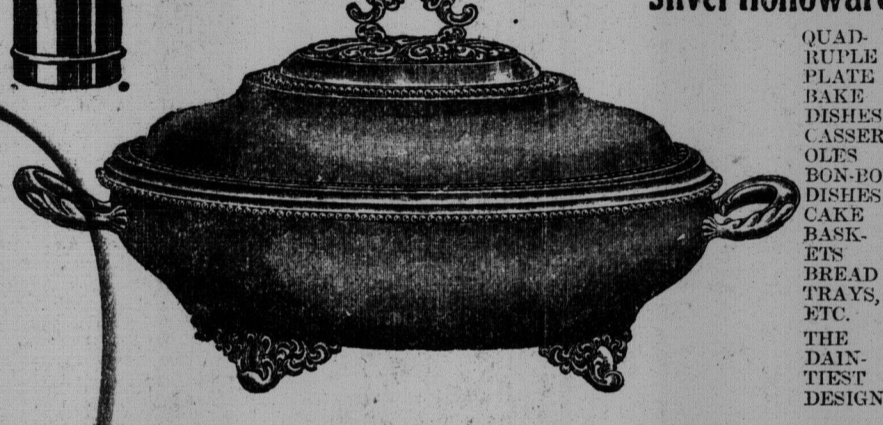
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The popular author of 'The History of Our Own Times,' and the quondam Irish lord, is passing the evening of life in a pleasant villa at Falkenstein.

Justin McCarthy at Home (continued)
When he returned from America to London, Mr. McCarthy had an idea of writing a history of the Radical party and it ultimately expanded into 'The History of Our Own Times.'

Magnificent Piano advertisement: AND \$100.00 IN CASH GIVEN AWAY Absolutely Free FOR CORRECT ANSWERS IN THIS PUZZLE CONTEST

Justin McCarthy at Home (continued)
After lunch and a brief rest in his study, Mr. McCarthy took his usual walk in the beautiful public gardens opposite his house, and entertained me with recollections of his youth.

Justin McCarthy at Home (continued)
Mr. McCarthy revealed an amusing little episode with Mr. Gladstone, when he presented that great statesman with a copy of the history.

FREE Handsome Watch and FREE Magnificent Phonograph advertisement with illustrations of a watch and a gramophone.

FREE HANDSOME DOLL and lovely Doll Carriage and this beautiful Gold Shell Ring set with Sparkling Jewels advertisement with illustrations of a doll and jewelry.

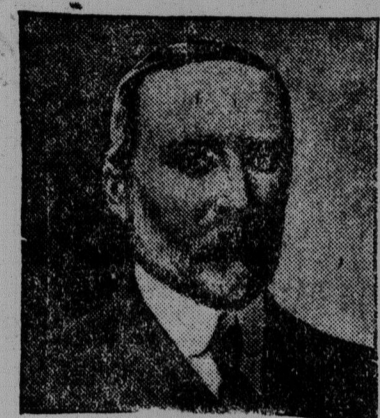
FUR MUFF FREE advertisement with illustration of a fur muff.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS advertisement with illustration of a pill bottle.

FREE THIS MAGNIFICENT DOLL'S HOUSE AND HANDSOME IMPORTED DOLL advertisement with illustration of a dollhouse and doll.

FREE Picture Machine advertisement with illustration of a picture machine.

My Own Son Was a Martyr to Dyspepsia "Fruit-a-tives" Completely Cured Him



Jukerman, Ont., Sept. 23, 1910. "Fruit-a-tives" is the best remedy I keep for sale. I am in the General Store business at the above address, and have been a resident of Jukerman for thirty-seven years, and since I started this store (four years ago) I have found your remedy the most satisfactory one I have sold.

The sales of "Fruit-a-tives" are increasing by leaps and bounds. Thousands of people who have been cured by "Fruit-a-tives" have written me good news letters, and these in turn are recommending it to still others. "Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine in the world made of fruit juice. A box-8 for \$2.50, trial size, 2c. At all dealers, or sent post paid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, N.Y.

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

St. J. B. Take Three Points.

In the Inter-Society Bowling League last evening on St. Peter's alleys the St. John Baptist quietest succeeded in annexing three points from the Single Men, who had to be content with one. There are now only two games remaining to be played in the first half of the series.

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Canadian Oil Bowlers Win Four Points. The Canadian Oil Company bowlers took four points from the M. R. A. Ltd. team in the Commercial Bowling League game on Black's alleys last night.

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Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. Lists names like Stanton, Tigris, Y.M.C.A., Yanagawa, Yonah, Piratani, Imperials, Nationals, Ramblers with their respective scores.

The following is the standing of the teams in this league up to date: Won. Lost. P.C. Lists names and their performance in the league.

The next game in this league will be on Jan. 3. Commodore Orders New One. The Commodore of the St. John Yacht Club, will have a new steel schooner this season to compete with the outlaws of the "American" schooner fleet.

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SALADA TEA advertisement with an illustration of a tea box.

is sold in quarter, half and pound packages. A 20c pack of 40 cents is a full pound plus the package. A pound package makes 200 cups. At all grocers.

BUDGET OF SOUTH AFRICA PRESENTED

Minister of Finance Speaks in Hopeful Strain—Credit Balance from States—Funding the Debt

10 Cape Town, Dec. 17.—The budget for the 10 months ending March 31, 1911, has been introduced in the Union House of Assembly by Mr. Hull, Minister of Finance. The estimates which have already been tabled provide for the expenditure of £18,802,315, an increase of £296,556 over the figures for the corresponding period in 1910-11.

CHRISTMAS TIME IS THE TIME FOR QUALITY GROCERIES

If bought at Colwell's, it's O. K. or money refunded. Xmas time, yes at all times you want good quality groceries. Colwell's has the greatest value in bulk Teas Colwell's Special Blend at 30c. is a fine line of quality groceries.

CANADA A NATION

(Farmers Advocate and Home Magazine) Has Canada reached the stature of nationhood? Are her material resources and potentialities adequate? Whither, in the flux of opinion and currents of public affairs, does her destiny tend?

NICKEL - Everything New Monday! SANTA CLAUS A NEW VERSION. NEWS OF THE PICTURES. Tolstoi's Funeral. Capture of Great Whale, Dunkirk. Paris Fashions This Winter. British Parliament Dissolved. British Elections Scenes.

EMORY WHITE CONCERT BARIATONE. "Good-Bye"—Toot! "Don't You Mind Honey". LYRIC AN INDIAN MAID'S CHOICE. THE TRICK THAT FAILED. BLACK BART DUTCH TYPES.

First of Special Christmas Features. BROOKS AND KINGMAN Comedy Acrobats without a Par!

A COZY HOUSE AND PLEASANT PASTIME TO WIN E' NIGHTS. UNIQUE The King of Thule. "Nath the Glimmer of the Gay White Way". Vitagraph—Drumsticks Fascinating Drama. A Girl of the Canadian West.

GEM—Southern "For a Woman's Honor". THREE BIG FEATURES! "POLICE ON STRIKE". "THE BUM AND THE BOAB". "PRETTY GIRLS OF NICE". Souvenirs—Sat. Matinee | Orchestra—Mr. Dunbar.

VICTORIA RINK 62nd and 28th Pieces. GRAND OPENING TUES. EVENING Dec. 20. SEASON TICKETS NOW ON SALE AT UNION THEATRE AND VICTORIA RINK.

To Let For Business Purposes. Premises now occupied by Cecil Theatre, 160 Union street. This is a good business stand and can be leased for a term of years.

RADWAY'S PILLS FOR THE STOMACH LIVER BOWELS AND KIDNEYS. FOR FIFTY YEARS THE MOST PERFECT REMEDY Made from Pure Vegetable Matter. Superior to all other pills.

ATHELETIC Harrier Sports. The indoor meet in the Y. M. C. A. this evening promises to be of considerable interest. A number of entries have been received, including those of well known athletes such as Marting, Horman, Fitzroy, Cunningham, Dow, and Cline.

The Ring. Bout is Off. New Orleans, La., Dec. 16.—Following the announcement of acting Governor Lambrecht that he would not resign, necessary to prevent the scheduled twenty-round fight between Tony Ross and Jimmy Barry before the West Side Athletic Club next Sunday, the contest was called off by the promoters this afternoon.

Wrestling. Cyclone Burns the Boston wrestler worsted Cyclone Burns, who has been wrestling two men in the province in an hour in a wrestling match, by throwing McDonald and Basch in Montreal night in one hour.

Pirates Win in City League. The Pirates took three points from the Imperials in the City Bowling League game on Black's alleys last night. Tufts led for the winners with an average of 89% and McKean for the losers with 92%.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Avg. Lists names like Ferguson, McDonald, Tufts, MacFarley, Wilson with their respective scores.

Opera House. 3 Nights, Dec. 15, 16, 17. Fred G. Parker Presents the Beautiful Scotch Comedy Drama ANNIE LAURIE.

Miss Rosa McAnan of Butte. How After Two Years She Found a Remedy for Dandruff. Miss Rosa McAnan of 211 West Herpetide Butte, Mont., says: "I have been suffering from dandruff, with which it was entirely covered, and it has stopped my falling hair."

OBITUARY. W. Leo Deberry. The many friends of W. Leo Deberry, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Deberry, 299 Charlotte street, will regret to hear of his death which occurred yesterday after a week's illness of spinal meningitis.

HBB Special. LONDON MADE. BIRIA PIPES. "If You Give Knives, Forks, spoons or fancy serving pieces as Christmas gifts, the plates are stamped 'IBAZ ROGERS BROS.'"

JUST say: "A W. C. R. Coat Suit, please," and you'll get the best that modern shirt-tailoring can give you. Made in Berlin, Canada.

CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION. At the Union Store, 223 Union Street. Commencing Tuesday, Dec. 13th, at 7:30 o'clock, and continuing each evening until the stock is sold.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies.

Dowling Bros. The Largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouses in the Maritime Provinces.

A Special Christmas Sale of Ladies' Coat sweaters

Take our word for it, the quicker you snap these up, at the prices they're marked, the better, for they are made of the best of wools and perfectly knit.

LADIES' COAT SWEATERS, from \$1.50 upward, in grey, cream, navy, cardinal, cream and garnet, grey and cardinal, etc., etc.

MAIDS' and CHILDREN'S SIZES from \$1.00 upward.

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS and UNDESKIRTS—At Special Christmas Prices.

CHILDREN'S BEARSKIN COATS, in cream, cardinal and brown, \$1.50 upward.

FLANELETTE NIGHT GOWNS, LONG KIMONAS, FINE MUSLIN CORSET COVERS AND NIGHT ROBES. Special Sale of Silk and Lawn Waists now going on.

DOWLING BROTHERS
95 and 101 King Street

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is This Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

This store is brim full of goods that make SUITABLE and USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS. Utility Gifts are more appreciated than frivolities.

Handkerchiefs—A large assortment of these, at prices ranging from 5 cents up to 30 cents each. Many of these are placed in boxes containing one, two and three. Prices of these from 25 cents up.

Gloves—These make a very acceptable present. Our \$1.10 French Kid Glove is fully guaranteed and a very reliable make. Other prices in Kid Gloves from 59 cents to \$1.40.

Woolen Gloves from 25 cents up to 50 cents.

Leather Handbags. A special Christmas stock of these at prices ranging from 75 cents to \$4.50.

Belts, including the new gift elastic belt, Persian effect gilt belts, patent leather belts, combination leather and elastic belts, etc., at prices 25c. to \$1.50.

Motor Scarfs. We are having a special sale just now of Fine Iod Wool Scarfs, at 29 and 39 cents each, regular value 75 cents to \$1.50.

Towels. Good length Linen Towels, with hemstitched edges, at 34 cents a pair. Other prices in Towels from 30 cents to \$1.10 a pair.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street.

Christmas Gifts in Furs

There is no gift more appreciated than a Fur. You can choose to suit your own Purse.

Our Furs are all new and Fresh. WE DON'T OFFER JOB LOTS OR CHEAP GRADE FURS. Stylish Persian Lamb, Mink, Sable and Squirrel in Stoles, Throws, Muffs, Caps and Gloves.

Gift Umbrellas for Ladies and Gentlemen. Fur and Fur-Lined Gloves.

Open Every Evening

ANDERSON & CO.
55 Charlotte Street. Manufacturing Furriers

IN A SHORT TIME

How the world will resound with indubitable Christmas greetings. Look up some little reminders of the day as gifts. Our store is the place for you to come to get just what you want, as our stock has been replenished to meet popular demands.

Fancy Aprons, 25c. to 75c.	Hand Bags, 90c. to \$4.25
Tea Aprons, 25c. to 75c.	Knitted Mufflers, 35c. and 50c.
Fancy Waist Lengths, \$1.25 and \$1.65	Kid Gloves, (Dent's), \$1.00 pair
Women's Sweater Coats, \$1.75 to \$4.50	Mannah Gloves, (Dent's), \$1.00 pair
Umbrellas, 75c. to \$3.95	Fancy Handkerchiefs, 5c. to 75c.
Women's Purses, (in Black, Tan or Green), 25c. to \$1	

S. W. McMACKIN
335 Main Street

YES, WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS

But allow us to say that Turkey and Geese are not the only things required to make a Christmas Day joyous. Suppose your shoes are ill-fitting and hurt your feet. Or suppose they are well worn and look shabby and spoil the appearance of your best suit. Could you enjoy your Christmas dinner under these conditions? Of course not.

BUT HERE IS RELIEF

Our store is open every evening until eleven o'clock, and we'll be pleased to dress the feet of any member of the family. Will touch your pocket book lightly.

D. MONAHAN
32 Charlotte Street
THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES. Telephone Main 1802-11

THIS EVENING

Annie Laurie at the Opera House by David Edgar and orchestra at the Nickel.

Pictures and vanderella at the Lyric.

Picture subjects, orchestra and songs at the Gem.

Moving pictures at the Star.

Pictures and songs at the Unique.

St. John High school hockey team will meet in the Queen's rink at 7:30 for practice.

Harriers' Athletic meeting in the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock.

St. John District Lodge, I. O. G. T. will meet at 8 o'clock for special business.

LOCAL NEWS

FOURTEEN NEW BABIES

There were four marriages registered with J. H. Jones, registrar, this week; and fourteen births—eight boys and six girls.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

The Macaulay Bros. & Co. team accepted the market men's challenge to a bowling match on the Victoria Allys on December 26.

ARE GIVEN A TREAT

The Excelsior Mission Band of Queen's Square Methodist church is giving a treat this afternoon to the girls of the Protestant Orphan's Home, twenty-two in number and ranging from three to twelve years in age. The children will be given tea and each will receive a doll, a bag of candy and some fruit, and the twelve older girls will also be given a copy of the seawant gospel nicely bound.

DEATH OF THOMAS CASEY

Thomas Z. Casey, a well known and respected resident of North End, passed away last evening at his home in 67 Chesley street, after a lingering illness. He had been ill for about nine months. His death though expected, to the few survivors, will be keenly regretted. Mr. Casey was fifty-one years of age, and is survived by his wife, four sons and five daughters. His sons are: Frank J., of the inland revenue department; Arthur J., Andrew, and Edmund while the daughters are: Misses Gertrude, Alice and Florence, all at home. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, 67 Chesley street to St. Peter's church.

EVERY INDUCEMENT TO CROWD THE HOUSE

Excellent Programme and Worthwhile Object in Spencer Concert Next Monday Evening

If the purpose for which it is given, combined with the rare excellence of the programme, does not crowd the opera house on Monday evening, at the benefit entertainment for H. L. Spencer, in which the newspaper men of the city ask their fellow citizens to join; it will be a very regrettable fact. The programme is as follows:

Part I.
Overture—La Daidene . . . Hermann
Every Day Club Orchestra
Solo—A Song of the Desert Am I. . . Evans
Mr. M. T. Morris, with orchestral accompaniment.
Readings from Dr. Drummond's Poems
Mr. E. Blake McInerney.
Duet—Kokoro and Mr. G. E. Mayes.
Solo—La Mia Canzone Tosti
Mr. J. A. Kelly.
Dramatic Sketch
An Angel Unaware, by Rupert E. Walker.
Chorus
Mrs. Beverley . . . Miss Bessie A. Irvine
Eid Dairtee Miss Gladys Smith
Jimmy Koss Mr. Ernest A. Marshall
Philip Maitland Mr. R. E. Walker
The "Angel" Mrs. D. S. Robilliard
Some—Maitland's bachelor apartments in New York. Time—Present Day
Coronet solo—Arcturion Polka Mr. D. J. Gallagher.
Selection from Faust Gounod
City Cornet Band
Readings from H. L. Spencer's Poems
Mrs. E. A. Smith.
Solo—Good Bye Tosti
Mr. G. S. Mayes.
Quartette—A Hundred Years to Come (Words by H. L. Spencer, Music by Rev. H. T. Crossley)
Mrs. E. L. Gerow, Miss Bessie Thompson, Mr. W. J. Bamberg, Mr. Robert Seely.
Solo—I Hear You Calling Me Marshall
Mr. J. A. Kelly.
Mr. Spencer's Acknowledgments.
God Save the King.
Accompagnist, Miss Bertha Worden and D. Arnold Fox.
The piano for this concert is kindly loaned by the C. H. Townsend Piano Co., 38 Germain street.

Tickets for this concert (price 35 cents) can be got at the Opera House, and newspaper offices and at the following stores: William Hawker, Prince William street; W. G. Nelson & Co., King street; D. McArthur, King street; Gray & Riebeck, King street; A. Chipman Smith & Co., Charlotte street; S. H. Hawker, corner Main street and Paradise Row; Fred W. Munro, Main street, opposite Douglas avenue; W. C. Wilson, St. John West; E. R. W. Ingraham, St. John West.

The St. John District Lodge, I. O. G. T. will meet this evening at 8 o'clock for special business. Mr. Jackson, of Moncton, Grand Chief Templar, will install the district officers for the ensuing year.

Freight IS DITCHED AT FORTHESSAY

Ten Cars Go Off Track and Traffic is Tied up

NO ONE INJURED

Truck Broke and Caused the Accident—Wrecking Crew at Work—Suburbanites Late for Work and Milk Supply is Kept Behind

With ten cars of a special freight train bound from Moncton to this city, off the track and about a quarter of a mile of rails torn up, the I. C. R. line out of St. John is blocked and trains both in and out of the city are stalled.

About 3:30 o'clock this morning, while a special freight train from Moncton was coming to St. John the truck of one of the cars in the middle of the train broke and ten cars were ditched. The accident occurred between and Riverside, just a short distance west of the Rothersey station, near a culvert, on the bank of the Kennebecasis. No one was hurt but the cars were badly smashed and the track torn up for a considerable distance.

A car of Quaker oats, a car of coal, one laden with whisky and two or three cars of lumber were almost completely demolished. The place where the accident occurred is on a curve in the road, and very near where a cattle train was derailed a few years ago. It is on the bank of the river and several of the cars in leaving the rails, turned over and are lying partly in the river.

Word of the wreck was sent to Moncton immediately after it happened and a few hours later a wrecking train was sent to the scene in charge of Chief Train Dispatcher H. B. Fleming. It is expected that the cars lying on the track will be shifted to one side so as to allow the track to be repaired as quickly as possible in order to avoid tying up trains. As the place where the accident occurred is on a "hill," it was impossible to lay a track around the wreck.

The train was in charge of Conductor W. H. Wilbur and Driver Harry Campbell. The Halifax train, the suburban from Hampton, and the Sussex express, as well as a freight train (No. 11), were all stalled on the eastern side of the wreck. The outgoing Halifax train was also stalled at Riverside. Passengers coming to the city arrived at the depot about 10:20 o'clock. The larger number of them were suburbanites who by consequence of the wreck were very late for their work.

One result of the accident was the temporary tying up of the major portion of the city's milk supply, which comes in on the Sussex express. The telephone answering inquiries as to when the milk train would get in and many of the milk dealers who depend on this train for their supply had nothing to do in the meantime, but wait with what patience they could. A special train was sent out soon after 11 o'clock to get the milk and express packages, and any passengers who might want to come to the city.

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The line was clear a little after 12 o'clock and the Sussex and suburban trains reached the city soon after 1 o'clock. The Atlantic express from Moncton was not delayed on account of the wreck, and went right through.

A SAD SITUATION

Police Court Case Develops Another Strong Temperance Lesson

One of the men who was before the police court this week, and who was allowed to go on his solemn promise to abstain from the use of alcohol for a year, was a sad illustration of the evil effects of drink. This man has a wife and three children. He suffers from trouble with his eyes, an affliction which is, of course, aggravated by excessive drinking. While he is drinking, he is drunk, and perhaps he is not, but he is in a sad condition. He has not had regular employment, and his habits finally brought him to the jail.

Judge Ritchie, before discharging him, pointed out the risk of total blindness he would run if he did not abstain from alcohol. He said that his children, who are now old enough to understand such things, would know that he was drunk, and perhaps he is jerked at by thoughtless children because their father had been in jail. Whether he will keep his pledge remains to be seen, but the story of this family is one of the sad ones such as are constantly being revealed at the police court.

IN ST. JOHN CHURCHES TOMORROW

Portland Methodist church, Rev. H. D. Marr, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor; Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m.; preaching at 7 p. m. by Rev. J. L. Batty, of the Central Methodist church, Moncton. Rev. Mr. Batty will address a meeting for men only at 3:45 in the church, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., subject, Protestantism and the Empire.

There will be a special anniversary service in St. Matthew's Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. It is the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the congregation.

Rev. Canon Hoyt, will deal with church growth in the northwest of the diocese at the church of the Ascension, Red Head at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening, being the fortieth anniversary of his ordination. The proceeds of the offering will be devoted to the funds of the M. S. C. C.

Centenary church next Sunday, Peace Day will be observed in harmony with the custom prevailing in many of the cities of the continent. The pastor will preach at both services. Subject for the morning service, The Breadth of Jesus. In the evening the subject will be Universal Peace. Address to the children in the morning. Music: Morning service, anthem, I Sought the Lord, (Stevenson), with soprano solo by Mrs. Crockett, Baritone solo, The Reconciliation, (Dikoven), by Mr. Pidgeon.

Queen Square Methodist church, Rev. Wilfred Gietz pastor. Morning service conducted by Rev. H. D. Tanner; Sunday school and Bible classes at 2:30 p. m.; evening service conducted by the pastor; strangers cordially invited to all services; good music.

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Christmas Suggestions for Men and Boys

If you are in doubt as to what you should buy for that particular boy or man, we can help you to decide the question by naming a few of the articles that will be very much appreciated by the lucky person who should happen to receive them

Men's and Boys' Overcoats,	\$3.75 to \$18.00
Men's and Boys' Suits,	1.98 to 20.00
Men's and Boys' Reefers,	2.00 to 6.00
Men's Pants in lots of good patterns,	1.00 to 5.00
Silk and Wool Mufflers,39 to 1.44
Silk Handkerchiefs in great variety,25 to 1.00
Men's and Boys' Gloves and Mitts,19 to 2.44
Men's and Boys' Shirts,39 to 1.13

We are showing a real good line of Trunks and Suit Cases at prices that are right

HARRY N. DeMILLE, 199 to 207 Union St.
SUCCESSOR TO J. N. HARVEY

Have Your Christmas Turkey Cooked on a

GLENWOOD RANGE

And You Will Have Satisfaction

We can put a Glenwood Range in your kitchen in time to have your Christmas Turkey cooked. A Glenwood Range makes a splendid Christmas present and a useful one, too. We can give you a Glenwood Range, plain, tea shelf, mantle shelf, hot closet reservoir, or a Glenwood Range with a combination gas range combined, two ranges in one. It will pay users of gas to come in and inspect this gas range. They are all made in St. John, by St. John men. Call and see for yourself. Ranges from \$25.00 up.

McLEAN, HOLT & CO.,
Phone 1545 155 Union St.

Dec. 17, '10.

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS and CANES

Because we know so many are sure to be given each Christmas, we began almost as soon as last Christmas passed to prepare for this season. That means much in quality, price and variety.

There is not a better place in the city to buy the Christmas Umbrella or Cane.

All the newest ideas in mounts and handles.

Umbrellas,	\$1.00 to \$10.00
Canes,	1.50 to 3.50

Fresh Stocks of Attractive Neckwear for Men.

To provide for the heavy Neckwear buying that always comes the days before Christmas we arranged with various of our manufacturers to keep sending shipments up to the last minute.

So those who have waited will not be the losers, indeed they may find some fresher and newer styles than were here a week ago.

Ample supplies of Neckwear today at 25c up to \$1.50. Boxed free.

SEE SPECIAL AD. PAGE 2.

KING STREET COR. GERMAIN
GREATER OAK HALL
SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

COMMENCING TUESDAY and UNTIL CHRISTMAS ALL M. R. A. STORES OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK

Christmas Gifts That Men Always Appreciate

Umbrellas, a larger and better variety than ever and offering surprisingly good values at moderate prices. The very latest creations in handle designing, the most reliable frames and splendid wearing covers. One more is always acceptable, so that you will make no mistake in choosing an umbrella as a gift. Special Christmas prices, each \$1.00 to \$9.75. A large assortment and extra values from \$2.00 to \$5.00.

Walking Sticks and Ice Sticks, an excellent variety to choose from, plain and with silver and gold mountings. Our Ice Sticks are very strong and practical. Prices from 50c. to \$4.00.

Gloves, the finest makes and best values procurable. The largest assortments in the city to select Christmas Gloves from. Wool Gloves, plain and fancy fleeced, and with extra linings, pair 35c. to \$1.50. Kid and Cape Gloves, fleecy wool, seamless knit and fur lined, pair \$1.00 to \$2.50. Mocha and Reindeer Gloves, fleecy wool, seamless knit, and fur lined, pair 90c. to \$5.75. Buck Gloves, fleecy wool and fur lined, pair \$2.00 to \$3.75. Kid and Mocha Mittens, wool and lambskin lined, pair \$1.10 to \$3.50.

Leather Goods—A great showing of Hand Bags, Suit Cases, Fitted Travelling Bags and Cases, Shirt Cases, Collar Cases, Tie Cases, Handkerchief Cases, Purses, Bill Books, Letter Cases, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Pouches and Purses, Pipe Cases, etc.

Men's Furnishings Department

COME TO THE CHRISTMAS MILLINERY SALE TONIGHT

The most wonderful bargains are being offered in fashionable Hats, trimmed and untrimmed, and Feathers, Wings, Birds, etc. There are good assortments for this evening. Come early

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